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NO. 24

## THREE GO TO PENITENTIARY

LIST OF CIVIL CASES WERE  
LARGELY DISPOSED OF.

The One Case Fought Resulted in  
Verdict of \$15.25 for  
a Dog.

The case of Com. vs. John Hart, charged with assault and battery on oath of James Noel was on trial when we went to press last week and verdict of jury was not brought in until Wednesday morning. There was a number of witnesses and beer figured prominently in the fight. The jury found a verdict not guilty and put one half of the costs on the defendant and the half on the prosecutor. John Hart was later discharged from jail as an insolvent. The situation of the Valley View hotel differs from every other hotel in the county and is to a certain extent responsible for the complaints as to that place. Every other hotel is in a town, surrounded by a community which helps to preserve the peace. There are but six houses about the Valley View hotel and none of them close. In speaking with a Hanover citizen of the testimony of the character of the hotel as developed on this trial and hearing of the license application and remonstrance and the rough element of Hanover that frequents the place, he laughed and said, well the hotel is a good thing for Hanover for we get rid of the element that goes there. The necessary result is that when there is lawlessness there Adams County pays the criminal court expenses.

Com. vs. Joseph Hart, charged with assault and battery on oath of Percy Noel was not prodded on motion of District Attorney as soon as verdict was rendered in case against John Hart.

The next criminal case tried Wednesday morning was Com. vs. Sam. Dawson and Lewis Myers, charged with assault and battery, with intent to murder on information of Geo. Kittrell. The defendants and prosecutor were colored men, the latter being a cripple and when the defendants had loaded up with too much rum and came across prosecutor without provocation began shooting at him. The jury found defendants guilty. The defendants plead guilty to charge of carrying concealed weapons.

Com. vs. Ambrose Dittenhafer, charged on oath of Martin Herman with larceny of chickens was next tried. How Herman found him in act of taking a chicken and shot at him and his flight and capture after being several weeks at large has been told in recent issues of this paper. After two witnesses had been heard Dittenhafer entered a plea of guilty.

Com. vs. Karl E. Katz found guilty of selling liquor without a license, motion for new trial was ordered for argument March 1.

### Sentences.

The prisoners were sentenced on Saturday afternoon.

Sam. Dawson the leader in the shooting of the crippled colored man, Geo. Kittrell, was sentenced to two years in the Penitentiary and Lewis Myers his companion to one year.

Ambrose Dittenhafer, by reason of the appeal made by his wife for herself and three small children was sentenced to one year in the Penitentiary, the shortest sentence it was possible to give. Dittenhafer promised if this leniency was shown he would behave when time was up and intimated he would remove from the county.

Harvey Wilson, who plead guilty to stealing meat while intoxicated near New Oxford, and selling it to get rum was an Irishman who told a tale that appealed, and secured for him a sen-

tence of three months in jail. He said Butler, Pa. was his home, and that he lost his wife and child 11 years ago. He would give no reference to anyone at Butler, because he said it would only cause a sister trouble who did not know of his position. He had been working in county about a month before he came to grief through liquor, and his promise to let latter alone helped to secure light sentence.

### Civil Cases.

The trial list of seventeen cases might be said to have been beaten to a frazzle for when the Court adjourned there were but five cases continued to the April court, three of them, the two cases of Odd Fellows Hall of York Springs vs. Lovina Peters and case of First National Bank of Gettysburg vs. G. Milton Bair and Emory Bair having been continued on account of sickness of J. L. Butt, Esq., who has returned to his office after having been confined to house for two weeks. The other two cases continued were those of Paris Erb vs. Howard Hartman suit over wages; Martha J. Ocker Exr., vs. Milton H. Plank, Adm., of Henry C. Frick, for alleged damages growing out of sale of Ocker House of Littlestown.

The cases settled or disposed of without trial were the following:

The Nelson Construction Co. vs. The County of Adams was discontinued by the plaintiff.

Wm. H. Grogg vs. F. K. Hafer assumpsit on \$1000 note was settled by full payment of note.

I. S. Miller vs. F. K. Hafer assumpsit on \$200 note, settled by full payment of note.

Cambria Coal Co. vs. Calvin Gilbert, \$30 coal bill, settled by payment of the same.

Rockdale Powder Co. vs. Lewis Mitchell, settled by judgment taken by the plaintiff for \$633.36.

South Mountain Oil and Developing Co. vs. Ghordias C. Oviatt, assumpsit on contract of drilling oil well, plaintiff having failed to give security for costs, rule for costs was made absolute and judgment of non-suit entered in favor of defendant and against the plaintiff.

Fred. Delsheimer & Co. vs. Carrie L. Stine, trading as The Gettysburg Jewelry Co., was settled by judgment in favor of plaintiff and against defendant for \$600.47.

The two cases involving the damages for right of way of the Littlestown branch of Hanover and McSherrytown railway was settled as previously noted.

### Cases Tried.

Two cases were tried and one was fixed for trial on a later date in this month.

Sallie Schriver vs. O. F. Baker, was an action of assumpsit. Plaintiff bought a piano of defendant, a dealer of Harrisburg, and after payment discovered the piano was not as represented and guaranteed and brought suit for damages. The defendant did not appear and jury after hearing the testimony awarded the plaintiff damages of \$250.39.

The one civil case tried and fought to finish was a dog case between J. H. Strassburg vs. Allen Hartman. It was not a blooded dog, nor prize dog, nor dog with a pedigree, but it is going to cost some one what a good dog would. It was an ugly black cur with a gray streak on one side. There seems to have been nothing attractive about it but it had an owner, the plaintiff, and the defendant shot it. The former contended the shooting was done on the public road where the dog had as much right as the man. The defendant alleged that the dog jumped over the fence into his yard and came at him and he left him have a load of shot and that he then jumped back over the fence and died in the road. The jury brought in a verdict in favor of plaintiff for \$10.25 which with the costs and witness fees ought to be worth some kind of a blooded dog.

### Miscellaneous.

Report of viewers laying out a public road in Huntington township from a road leading from York Springs to

Blaville near the buildings of Benjamin Miller to a road leading from New Oxford to Carlisle was confirmed, just to the width of 22 feet.

The widows list under the \$300 law in estate of Calvin P. Wisler, Jeremiah Bender and Jonathan Pittenturf were approved unless exceptions are filed within 20 days.

The report of viewers laying out a public road in Cumberland township from road leading from Robert Bream's to Pitzer's school house to the Fairfield road was confirmed nisi, to width of 22 feet.

Upon petition of John and Lewis Culp a citation was awarded on Henry W. Miller admr., of Mary A. Culp, dec'd, to show cause why he should not file an account.

Upon petition of Jere A. and W. S. Duttera, a citation was awarded on C. H. Duttera, admr., of Washington A. Duttera, dec'd, to show cause why he should not file an account of his trust.

Abbie L. Waltman was discharged as administratrix of estate of Mary R. Mowery, late of Hamilton township.

On order of sale was granted Rebecca E. Hartman, Executrix of will of Noah W. Hartman, late of Franklin township to sell real estate of decedent.

The sales of real estate of John A. H. Rether, late of Biglerville, dec'd as returned by his administrator, George Meekley, were confirmed.

Order was granted to sell the real estate of Mary A. Culp, dec'd.

The inventory and appraisal of assigned estate of John H. Murray, was confirmed.

The distribution of sheriff's sale of real estate of Geo. M. Deatrich and Maria M. Guntling was confirmed nisi.

The petition of J. A. Poist and Company, a corporation of McSherrytown, for decree of dissolution was filed and ordered to be heard March 1st.

The reports of County Auditors of the accounts of Co. Treas. and Co. Commissioners from Jan. 1, 1908 to Jan. 1, 1909 were filed.

### Divorce Cases.

In the divorce case of Anna Hochstetel vs. Otto Hochstetel a decree of divorce was granted to the libellant.

In the divorce proceedings of Edna R. Grove vs. Truman C. Grove, Jr., J. L. Kepplehart, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony and report.

In the divorce proceedings of Ida C. Hartzell vs. John H. Hartzell, Wm. Arch McClean, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony and report.

In the divorce proceedings of Jennie A. Walter vs. John Peter Walter, Donald P. McPherson, Esq., was appointed commissioner to take testimony and report.

### L. M. Buehler Successful.

After a great deal of effort and correspondence L. M. Buehler the popular druggist has succeeded in getting the Dr. Howard L. in making special half price introductory offer on the regular fifty cent size of their celebrated specific for the cure of constipation and dyspepsia.

Dr. Howard's specific has been so remarkably successful in curing constipation, dyspepsia and all liver troubles, that L. M. Buehler is willing to return the price paid in every case where it does not give relief.

Headaches, coated tongue, dizziness, gas on stomach, speck before the eyes, constipation, and all forms of liver and stomach trouble are soon cured by this scientific medicine.

So great is the demand for this specific that L. M. Buehler has been able to secure only a limited supply, and every one who is troubled with dyspepsia, constipation or liver trouble should call upon him at once or send 25 cents, and get sixty doses of the best medicine ever made, on this special half price offer with his personal guarantee to refund the money if it does not cure.

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tion plans and profitable. Americans are interested in being pictures belonging to their own country and all Gettysburgians are interested in their own artists so that the High School feels it is offering the town a most enjoyable entertainment.

Tickets for ten cents may be bought from the P. S. children or at the door of the assembly room of the Meade Building where the exhibition will be held on Friday, February 5th from 3:30 P. M. and Saturday, February 6th from 1:30 to 4 P. M.

### MARRIAGES.

REYNOLDS-HARTBOLD-On Jan. 9th Paul H. Reynolds of Reading, Pa., and Miss Flora E. Harbold daughter of A. J. Harbold of Berks were married by Rev. Paul I. Deffen of Dillsburg. After April 1st they will live at Reading.

GROVE-GROSS-On Jan. 23 by Rev. O. P. Schellhauser at York, Charles A. Grove of East Berlin and Miss Ada S. Gross of near Bismont, York Co.

FLOYD-HEIKES-On Jan. 21 Samuel N. Floyd and Miss Martha Heikes, both of York County were married at home of the bride by Rev. I. W. Trostel of Dillsburg. Miss Trostel of Arendtsville was bridesmaid.

RILEY-SANDERS-On Jan. 23 Vernon Riley, son of Mr. and Mrs. David Riley of Liberty township and Miss Florence Sanders, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Sanders of Hamilton township were united in marriage.

Invitations have been sent out by Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Bushey of McSherrytown for the marriage of their daughter Miss Effie C. Bushey to Joseph H. Bankard of Hanover on Wednesday, Feb. 10.

FIDDLER-DIEHL-On Jan. 28, at Bendersville, by Rev. S. A. Diehl, Charles A. Fidler of Butler township, and Miss Daisy Ellen Mary Diehl of Conowingo township.

HELLER-STAHLE-On Jan. 23, at Bendersville, by Rev. S. A. Diehl, Andrew H. Heller of Idaville, and Miss Annie Grace Stahl of Aspers.

WAMPLER-FUNT-On Jan. 22, at Gettysburg, by Rev. W. W. Hartman, George Wampler of Hunters-town, and Miss Barbara A. Funt of Heidlersburg.

SHAKE IT IN A BOTTLE  
NOTED AUTHORITY GIVES A  
SIMPLE PERScription.

Tells the Readers of This Paper  
How to Prepare the Mixture at  
Home and Other Advice.

Now is the time when the doctor gets busy, and the patent medicine manufacturers reap their harvest, unless great care is taken to dress warmly and keep the fever dry. This is the advice of an old eminent authority, who says that Rheumatism and Kidney trouble weather is here, and also tells what to do in case of an attack.

Get from any good prescription pharmacy one-half ounce Fluid Extract Blandon, one ounce Compound Kargon, three ounces Compound Syrup Sarsaparilla. Mix by shaking in a bottle and take a teaspoonful after meals and at bedtime.

Just try this simple home made mixture at the first sign of Rheumatism, or if your back aches or you feel that the kidneys are not acting just right. This is said to be a splendid kidney regulator, and almost certain remedy for all forms of Rheumatism, which is caused by uric acid in the blood, which the kidneys fail to filter out. Any one can easily prepare this at home and at small cost.

Druggists in this town and vicinity, when shown the prescription, stated that they can supply these ingredients, or if our readers prefer, they will compound the mixture for them.

School Directors' Convention.  
The School Directors of Adams county will hold their 18th Annual Convention next Monday and Tuesday, in the Court House, Monday afternoon 8 A. M. and Tuesday morning 10 A. M. The agenda for the day is as follows: "Waste in the School Room" and Tuesday morning "The Efficiency of the School," and "I Were a School Director and Could."

Hon. R. M. McNeal will speak on "The Business Phase of School Administration," and "The Educational Phase of School Administration."

Every Woman Will Be Interested.  
If you have pain in the back, urinary, bladder or kidney trouble, and want a certain, pleasant, herb cure for woman's ills, try Mother Gray's Australian Lead. It is a safe and never-failing regulator. At Druggists or by mail 50c. Sample package FREE. Address Dr. D. C. LeRoy, The Mother Gray Co., LeRoy, N. Y.

Lincoln Day Program.  
Hon. D. F. Latimer, Chairman  
Prof. Hefelbower  
Address, Hon. James I. McClary,  
Lincoln's Gettysburg Speech read by  
Judge Swope.

Address, Edwin M. Ames,  
Benediction, Rev. H. N. Munnigh  
"America" and "Star Spangled Banner" will be sung, lead by the band.

Teachers' Meeting.  
The Adams Co. Primary Teachers Association will meet at McSherrytown, Feb. 6, at 1 p. m. All teachers interested in primary work are cordially invited to attend.

EVA M. BOYER, Sec'y.

A LOT OF CORN CHOP at Hammer's Store \$1.25 per 100 lbs.

HOME CURE FOR ECZEMA.

Oil of Wintergreen, Thymol, Glycerine, etc., used as a Simple Wash

It really seems strange that so many people suffer year in and year out with eczema, when it is now no longer a secret that oil of wintergreen mixed with thymol, glycerine, etc., makes a wash that is bound to cure.

Oh, eczematous cases, it is true, cannot be cured in a few days, but there is absolutely no sufferer from eczema who ever used this simple wash and did not find immediately that wonderful soothing, calm, cool sensation that comes when the itch is taken away. Instantly upon applying a few drops of the wash the remedy takes effect, the itch is allayed. There is no need of experiment—the patient knows at once.

Instead of trying to compound the oil of wintergreen, thymol, glycerine, etc., in the right proportions ourselves we are using a prescription which is universally found the most effective. It is known as the D. D. D. Prescription, or Oil of Wintergreen Compound. It is made by the D. D. D. Co. of Chicago, and our long experience with this remedy has given us great confidence in its merits. People's Drug Store, Gettysburg, Pa.

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses collected weekly by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons:—

	Per Bu.
Good Wheat	1.03
Corn	.70
Rye	.70
Oats	.50

RETAIL PRICES.

	Per 100
Wheat Bran	\$1.30
Corn and Oats Chop	1.50
Middlings	1.60
Timothy hay	.70
Rye chop	1.60
Baled straw	.50

	Per bu.
Flour	\$4.80
Western flour	5.75
Wheat	\$1.10
Corn	.65
Western oats	.60
Baled shavings	35c per bale

PRODUCE AT WHOLESALE.  
Butter firm, good demand, 24c. in the print; eggs, market firm, 30c. live fowl, 90c. calves 90c.

PRODUCE AT RETAIL.  
Eggs, 30c per dozen; butter 28c per pound

\$2.50 SENT FREE

THE WELL KNOWN PHYSICIAN  
AND SPECIALIST, FRANKLIN  
MILES, M. D., LL. B., WILL  
SEND \$2.50 WORTH OF  
HIS NEW AND COMPLETE  
TREATMENT FREE TO  
EACH OF OUR AF-  
FLICTED READ-  
ERS.

Many Chronic and So-called "In-  
curable" Cases Cured After  
Others Had Failed

These papers were written by one of the best persons suffering from diseases of the brain, nerves, and all organs, stomach, or digestive system, and who has secured a Special Personal Treatment for these disorders. Dr. Miles is a thoroughly known and a highly successful physician in these diseases, and his special offer is a valuable method of securing a cure.

The new system of treatment is thoroughly scientific, and is entirely free from the ordinary methods of treatment. It consists of several powerful remedies carefully prescribed to suit each individual case and are the result of a long and successful career in treating this class of diseases. The remedy is a simple, safe, and pleasant one, and is entirely free from all the usual and usual methods of treatment.

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## THE CROSSING OF THE BAR

SUNSET, AND EVENING STAR  
AND ONE CLEAR CALL.

May There be no Moaning at the  
Bar When Life Goes Out  
to Sea.

LEVI WEIKERT, died at his home in Cumberland township on Tuesday morning of last week after an illness of three weeks aged 66 years 4 months and 19 days. He died on the same farm on which he was born, and was held in the highest respect by his neighbors and many friends. He was a prosperous and successful farmer. He was a veteran of the Civil War, serving in the 21st Penna. Cavalry, and later in the 16th Penna. Infantry, and was a member of Corporal Skelly Post of this place. He was a life long Democrat. He was a member of Mt. Joy Lutheran church. The funeral was held on last Thursday morning, Grand Army comrades acting as pallbearers, Hon. Theo. McAllister, Wm. H. Lott, Jacob Kitzmiller, John N. Sachs, Hanson Lightner and James F. Rider, and interment was made in the Evergreen Cemetery. He was twice married and is survived by his second wife and a daughter by first marriage, Mrs. George W. Rohrbach of Freedom township and a daughter and two sons by the second marriage, Mrs. George P. Black of this place, Samuel D. Weikert, Rural Carrier, of Cumberland township and Charles E. Weikert of Freedom township.

MRS. AMANDA RILEY, wife of Daniel B. Riley of near Fairfield died at her home on Tuesday of last week after a protracted illness aged 58 years, 11 months and 13 days. The funeral was held on last Thursday, services by Rev. C. L. Ritter and interment in Fairfield Union Cemetery. She leaves besides her husband two sons and a daughter, Harry Riley of Highland township, Howard and Mary at home. She is survived by four brothers and two sisters, Joel B. Musselman, D. R. Musselman, John B. Musselman, Aaron Musselman, Mrs. Evanah Harbaugh and Mrs. John R. Marshall all of Fairfield.

JOHN TOOT, died at his home near Chambersburg on Jan. 24th of pneumonia aged 72 years, 7 months and 2 days. He was a veteran of the Civil War, member of Co. G. 138th Regt. Pa. Vol. He leaves a widow and three sons, Meade of Atlin, B. C., now at home, Emory E. of Dixon, Ill. and Harry W. at home. A sister survives, Miss Elizabeth Toot of Adams County and also a brother in Ohio.

MRS. MARY C. BURKETT, wife of Peter F. Burkett, a life long resident of Emmitsburg, died on last Thursday. She was found lying unconscious in the hallway of her home. When her husband left the house sometime before his wife was to all appearances in good health. It is supposed she sustained a stroke shortly after he left and physicians summoned were unable to help her. She was 54 years old. Her maiden name was Miss Adelsperger. She was a member of St. Joseph's Catholic Church where funeral was held on Monday, interment in Mt. St. Mary's Cemetery.

MARTIE JANE BEANER, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Carey J. Beamer, of Franklin township, died on Jan. 25th, aged 3 years, 5 months and 13 days. Interment in Evergreen cemetery of Arendtsville, Pa.

INFANT daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Oliver Beard Sharetts of Cumberland township, died on Jan. 24th, aged about 14 months.

MRS. HATTIE ADAMS HOFFMEIN, wife of Rev. Dr. J. A. Hoffmeins, Reformed minister at Martinsburg, W. Va., and well known in this community died recently, and interment was made at Carlisle, her former home.

MRS. SARAH JANE MEHRING, widow of Isaac Mehring, died at her home near Littlestown on last Wednesday morning aged 76 years, 2 months and 23 days. She had been an invalid for 14 years from a fall, her hip being injured. She was able to be about up to within two weeks of her death. She was one of the eight daughters of Frederick Bittinger, seven of whom survived their husbands and four of whom are living. Mrs. Bella Sturdy of Tyrone, Mrs. James H. Colehouse of Hanover, Mrs. Luanda Myers and Mrs. Julia Mehring of Littlestown. The funeral of Mrs. Mehring was held last Saturday, services by Rev





















Abraham Lincoln as we have  
to know him appeals to all men  
because he is so like what all men  
wish to be. He appeals to all boys be-  
cause he shows them their possibilities.  
He appeals to all women because he is  
both the lover and because he pro-  
ves that the strongest manhood may be  
tender as the gentlest womanhood.

